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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 28, 2002, having a shortened three-month statutory period for response which expires April 28, 2002 we request that you please accept the following remarks as to the above-identified patent application:

REMARKS

Claims 1, 2 and 4-20 stand rejected.